

# Baby Signs presents Sign, Say & Play I

(Ages: 6 mths to 2 yrs)

This class is a great way to start communicating with your child. Two decades of research show that the Baby Signs program helps babies to talk sooner, reduces frustration and builds trust, and jumpstarts intellectual development. It is a great class to begin building a relationship with your child. Recommended for ages 6 months to 24 months.

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2416.412 Tue, Aug 8 - Sep 12 10:00am-

10:45am

6 Week Session

\$55 City, \$65 Non-City Resident, plus \$77 supply fee

Instructor: Stacey Broughton
Dorothy Hart Community Center

Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

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# **Mother's Mart**

Sunday, August 13, 2006 1:00pm - 3:00pm Dorothy Hart Community Center 408 Canal Street

Pick up some "new" toys and clothes for your children. Or clean out your closets and come sell your children's clothes, toys and baby items. Mother's Mart is the place to be if you have growing kids!

Table Spaces are \$12 each with a limit of tables per person. Spaces fill on a first-come, first-served basis. Registration begins 6/6 for City or Non-city residents.

Call 372-1086 for information.

### Wee Time!

(Ages: 10 mths to 4 yrs)

Does your toddler need other children to play with? Is it time to hear a voice that's over 4 years old? Join us for this playgroup designed for parents with toddlers. Come and join this parent-driven, non-structured group providing experience for your little ones. Parents must supervise their children, and all children must be registered. We will supply the room and toys -



you supply the children! Siblings 9 months and under attend for free! No class Aug. 17th.

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4722.401 Thur, Jun 29 - Jul 27 10:00am-11:00am

5 Week Session

\$11 City and Non-City Resident per child

4722.402 Thur, Aug 3 - Aug 31 10:00am-11:00am 4722.110 Fri, Sep 8 - Sep 29 10:30am-11:30am

4 Week Sessions each (No class 8/17) \$9 City and Non-City Resident per child Dorothy Hart Community Center

Instructor: Susanne Howlett

Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

## Preschool Art

(Ages: 2 1/2 yrs to 5 yrs)

This is a perfect acitivity to bring out your child's creativity! It's an early childhood art program that allows children to explore a variety of art materials for creative expression. The class will include paints, dough, crayons, colored pencils, stencils, markers and projects. All supplies included. Parents will need to stay with their children at all times.

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4092.402 Tue, Aug 8 - Aug 29 11:00am-12:00pm

4 Week Session

\$24 City, \$32 Non-City Resident Dorothy Hart Community Center

Instructor: Angela Zosel

Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

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## Theme Park Ticket Sales

The following tickets are on sale at the Parks & Recreation office (while they last).



# Kings Dominion

Good Any Day

Adult: \$35.50 / Child 3 - 6 yrs: \$30.00

**Teen Days** (Good for all ages) Valid: June 24 - July 9, 2006

Adult: \$26.50

Parks & Recreation Days (Good for all ages)

Valid: July 22 - August 6, 2006

Adult: \$26.50

# Water Country

**Discount Days** 

Valid: May 13 - September 10, 2006

Adult: \$29.00

## **Busch Gardens**

**Discount Days** 

Valid: June 1 - September 4, 2006

Adult: \$38.00

#### Busch Gardens Fun Card (Ages 3+)

Fun Cards purchased before May 31, 2006

Virginia Residents only: \$50.00

#### Touch - A - Truck

Just for kids of all ages!!
Only at Lunch at Hurkamp Concerts!!

Come touch, see, feel and enjoy BIG trucks and vehicles. A different vehicle EACH WEEK. Available each Tuesday during Lunch at Hurkamp Park Concert Series.

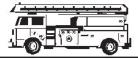
May 30 Old Time Carriage
June 6 Trolley Tours

Summer 2006

June 13 Fredericksburg City Shop

June 20 Fredericksburg Fire Department June 27 Fredericksburg Rescue Squad

12:00pm - 1:00pm, Tuesdays in May & June FREE! Call 372-1086 ext. 0 for details.



#### RAD for Kids I

(Ages: 5 to 7 yrs)

Help your children learn the things to look out for and the things they can do to protect themselves should they find themselves in a scary situation. This program is being brought to you in conjunction with the Fredericksburg Police Department as a community service.



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2512..102 Thur, Sept. 7-28 4:15pm-5:30pm

4 Week Session

\$12 City or Non-City Residents
Dorothy Hart Community Center

Instructor: Fredericksburg Police Department Registration beings: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

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R.A.D. Classes for Adults are listed on page 45.



# Ice Skating -Tot & Youth Beginner Lessons

(Ages: 3 to 16 yrs)

These levels help a beginning skater learn to move across the ice forward and backward with confidence. Gliding on a forward outside edge is something that will be

taught, along with stopping, swizzles and one-foot glides. Classes held at the Fredericksburg Ice Park. \*With Every 4 wk. session, the child will receive 4 passes to come back and practice during public skating hours. Skate rental included in class fee.

Tot Beginner - 3 to 5 years

1510.408 Sat, Jul 8 - Jul 29 10:00am-10:30am 1510.409 Sat, Aug 5 - Aug 26 10:00am-10:30am

Youth Beginner - 6 to 16 years

1510.402 Sat, Jul 8 - Jul 29 10:35am-11:05am 1510.403 Sat, Aug 5 - Aug 26 10:35am-11:05am

Tot & Youth Beginner - 4 to 16 years

1530.402 Wed, Jul 5 - Jul 26 4:50pm-5:20pm 1530.404 Wed, Aug 2 - Aug 23 4:50pm-5:20pm

4 Week Sessions each

\$60 City, \$65 Non-City Resident per session

Fredericksburg Ice Park Instructor: Ice Park Staff

Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

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## **Young Einsteins**

(Ages: 3 1/2 to 5 yrs)

Let your young Einstein learn more about the wonderful world of science. Each week we will do different experiments as we learn about the world around us. As a young

Einstein they will be having fun and learning at the same time.



1 Session each

\$8 City and Non-City Resident per class session

**Dorothy Hart Community Center** Instructor: Shelly Shipman

Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

# Butterflies, Bugs & Creepy Crawlers!

(Ages: 4 to 12 yrs)

The "Bugman" is back! "Uncle Henry" Michaloski has collected over 400 specimens from the eastern U.S. and has a net full of stories, displays, and a skit or two about the lifestyles of the winged and flitty. A couple of live scorpions, a tarantula, & giant millipede add to the mix. Superbly displayed insects in glass top cases make this an unforgettable experience! Fun, hands-on, and lots of audience participation! (Kids 4-13 pay—Parents attend at no charge).

6510.401 10:00am-11:00am Sat, Aug 19

1 Session

\$6 child City and Non-City Resident (no charge for adults)

**Dorothy Hart Community Center** Instructor: Henry Michaloski

Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

## Little Scientists

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(Ages: 6 to 10 yrs)

Your little scientist is going to love this fun, hands-on way to learn about the world around us. Things may get messy, so wear old clothes. Each session will have different "experiments." All supplies included.

4811.412 Tue, Aug 8 - Aug 22 4:30pm-5:30pm

3 Week Session

\$24 City, \$32 Non-City Resident **Dorothy Hart Community Center** Instructor: Shelly Shipman

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Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City



### Mad Science

(Ages: 6 to 12 yrs)) Experience the world of DaVinci, Newton, and Einstein. Students will explore natural laws, develop hypothesis', make predictions, and perform experiments in chemistry, physics, and biology. No class July 5.

4516.404 Wed, Jun 21 - Aug 16 6:30pm-8:00pm

8 Week Session (No class 7/5) \$129 City, \$149 Non-City Resident **Dorothy Hart Community Center Instructor: Tammie Smith** Registration has already begun. 

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# Young Entrepreneurs I & II

(Ages: 6 1/2 to 12 yrs)

A course designed to challenge and inspire the entrepreneur spirit in your child. Learning basic economics, best business practices, and advertising, techniques students will develop their own business and present their ideas at the DaVinci's Community Showcase. No class July 3.

4516.403 6:30pm-8:00pm Mon, Jun 19 - Aug 14

8 Week Session (No class 7/3) \$129 City, \$149 Non-City Resident Instructor: Tammie Smith Registration has already begun.

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A hands-on, completely messy way for children ages 3 -10 years to explore the world of art. Wear OLD clothes and jump into a variety of art stations. Admission tickets available in the park. Art stations range from free, .25, .50 and \$1 each.

Sponsored by Fredericksburg Parks and Recreation 372-1086 ext. 215 for more information.

#### Code Blue

(Ages: 6 1/2 to 12 yrs)

Is there a Doctor in the House? From the skin to the bone your young physician will discover the mysteries of the human anatomy, practice the science of medical inquiry, and the art of diagnosis. Get a

10:30am-12:00pm

head start on medical school! No Class July 8 and July 29.

4516.401 Sat, Jun 17 - Aug 19 9:00am-10:30am 8 Week Session (No class 7/8 or 7/29)

\$99 City, \$114 Non-City Residents **Dorothy Hart Community Center** 

**Instructor: Tammie Smith** Registration has already begun.

## **Newz Hounds**

(Ages: 6 to 12 yrs)

"Extra, Extra, learn all about it!" Learn about the tools of the modern journalist. Working as a team, students will generate ideas, compose and edit news stories, and create their own newspaper. This class is making headlines! No Class July 8 and July 29.

Sat, Jun 17 - Aug 19 4516.402 8 Week Session (No class 7/8 or 7/29) \$129 City, \$149 Non-City Resident **Dorothy Hart Community Center Instructor: Tammie Smith** 

Registration has already begun. -----

#### Master of Disaster

(Ages: 8 to 12 yrs) Become your own Master of Disaster! And no we're not talking about the state of your bedroom. You're going to create and "erupt" your own volcano again and again! Not only that, you will also make a whirling tornado. Both of these disasters you can take home and wreak havoc on your family and friends. And what disaster

wouldn't be complete without an avalanche? That's right, you'll create "snow". It's amazing! Join the fun and have a disastrously good time!

4412.407 11:00am-12:00pm Sat, Aug 26

1 Session

\$12 City and Non-City Resident **Dorothy Hart Community Center** Instructor: Sheila Mahoney-Smith

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Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City -----

Art in the Round -Sculpture for Kids

(Ages: 10 to 15 yrs)

Design stylin' footwear and crazy animals while learning the basics of 3D design. Work in a variety of materials and methods while your

creative juices flow. A variety of materials will be used during class - most of these supplies are included in the class fee. Students will be asked to bring their own pliers and wire snips after the first night. No previous art experience necessary - everyone will enjoy discovering the hands-on fun of 3D design.

4023.400 Wed, Aug 2 - Aug 16 4:30pm-6:00pm 3 Week Session at the Dorothy Hart Community Center \$32 City, \$37 Non-City Resident, supplies included except students will be asked to bring their own pliers and wire snips after the first night.

Instructor: Laura Allen

Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

American Red Cross Babysitter's Training

(Ages: 11 to 16 yrs)

This is a great class for those girls and guys, ages 11 - 16 who want to start their own babysitting business.

Learn how to: interview for a babysitting job, make good responsible decisions, supervise children and adjust your actions based on a child's age, choose safe age appropriate toys and games, Handle emergency or illness, perform first aid, and respond to life threatening emergencies, perform basic care routines, feeding simple meals/snacks, handle bedtime issues effectively, market yourself safely. This program will give you the confidence and skills you need to be a GREAT babysitter.

4814.401 9:00am-1:00pm Mon/ Wed, Jul 17 - Jul 19 4814.402 Mon/ Wed, Aug 7 - Aug 9 1:00pm-5:00pm

2 Class Session

\$45 City, \$50 Non-City Resident **Dorothy Hart Community Center Instructor: American Red Cross** 

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Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

Classes have limited spaces.

Don't wait to register. See pages 8-11 on how to register today!

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### Learn to Crochet II

(Ages: 12 yrs to Adult)

For anyone who has taken Susanne's Learn to Crochet class or if you have ever made a chain with a crochet hook. We will be exploring granny squares and patterns worked in rounds. Supply list - Please bring one (size H) hook and 2 - 3 small skeins/balls of yarn in complimentary colors.

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5063.305 Tue. Jun 6 5:00pm-6:30pm

1 Session each

\$12 City, \$16 Non-City Resident **Dorothy Hart Community Center** Instructor: Susanne Howlett Registration has already begun.

#### Learn to Crochet

(Ages: 12 yrs to Adult)

All supplies included! Just bring yourself and learn how to crochet. Learn the basic stitches and leave our class well on your way to a brand new scarf. Advanced beginners are always welcome.

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5063.403 Tue, Aug 15 5:00pm-6:30pm

1 Session each

\$15 City, \$20 Non-City Resident **Dorothy Hart Community Center** Instructor: Susanne Howlett

Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

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## Learn to Knit

(Ages: 12 yrs to Adult) All supplies included! Just bring yourself and learn how to knit. Learn the basic stitches and leave our class well on your way to a brand new scarf for yourself or someone special. Advanced beginners are always welcome.



4021.402 Tue, Jul 18 5:00pm-6:30pm 5063.104 Tue, Sep 5 5:00pm-6:30pm

1 Session each

\$15 City, \$20 Non-City Resident **Dorothy Hart Community Center** Instructor: Susanne Howlett

Registration begins: 6/6 City, 6/13 Non-City

# **Beginner Cartooning &** Comic Book Drawing

(Ages: 6 to 15 yrs)

Learn the basics behind all comics and cartooning, as well as picking up tips on developing your own particular style of artistry. In addition students will create their own Comic/Cartoon Character. Each student will need a sketch book/paper and pencil w/eraser.

Ages 6 to 9 years:

4040.401 Thur, Jun 29 - Jul 20 5:00pm-5:50pm

Ages 10 to 12 years:

6:00pm-6:50pm 4040.403 Thur, Jun 29 - Jul 20

Ages 12 to 15 years

4040.404 Thur, Jun 29 - Jul 20 7:00pm-7:50pm

4 Week Sessions each

\$35 City, \$40 Non-City Resident **Dorothy Hart Community Center** 

Instructor: Anduin Vaid

Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

# Intermediate Cartooning & Comic Book Drawing

(Ages: 10 to 15 yrs)

Learn more techniques behind all comics and cartooning, as well as picking up tips on developing your own particular style or artistry. In addition to the beginner course, this course will cover: Basic Comic Anatomy, Complex perspective work, and three dimensional work (e.g. special marks for texture and shadow) Each student will need a sketch book/paper and pencil w/ eraser.

4040.405 Fri, Jun 30 - Jul 21 5:00pm-6:00pm

4 Week Session

\$35 City, \$40 Non-City Resident **Dorothy Hart Community Center** 

Instructor: Anduin Vaid

Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

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## Recyclables wanted...

Your donation of clean recyclables is appreciated. We use these for children's crafts and events:

liter soda and water bottles paper towel and toilet paper rolls butter, yogurt, oatmeal containers

You can bring your donation to the Dorothy Hart Community Center any time during regular business hours.

### Junior Karate

(Ages: 5 to 8 yrs)

Our Junior Karate class is a great introduction into the world of martial arts for your child age 5-8. It's also an excellent way to develop self-confidence, balance, coordination, and discipline. Register early, class size is limited. No class July 3rd.

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2520.401 Mon/ Wed, Jun 26 - Jul 24 4:30pm-5:15pm 2520.404 Mon/ Wed, Jul 31 - Aug 23 4:30pm-5:15pm

5 Week Sessions each (No class 7/3) \$30 City, \$40 Non-City Resident Dorothy Hart Community Center

Instructor: Mike Morton Registration has already begun.

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# Isshynru Karate

(Ages: 8 yrs to Adult)
A super program for adults and children alike (you must be at least 8 years old) to help develop coordination, muscle tone, and self-confidence. Mike does more than teach the basic karate movements; he also works on discipline and respect for others. It's a fun, inexpensive way to experience all the value of a martial arts program. And parents, you can take it with your kids — you'll both have fun, and learn something too! No class July 3 or July 29.



Evening Karate

2530.413 Mon/ Wed, Jun 26 - Jul 26 5:30pm-6:30pm 2530.402 Mon/Wed, Jul 31 - Aug 23 5:30pm-6:30pm 4 Week Sessions each (No class 7/3)

Saturday Karate

2530.416 Sat, Jun 24 - July 15 10:00am-12:00pm 2530.417 Sat., July 22 - Aug 19 10:00am - 12:00pm 4 Sessions (No class 7/29)

\$30 City, \$40 Non-City Resident Dorothy Hart Community Center Instructor: Mike Morton

Registration has already begun.

# Ooops! We are human...

Our editors have worked hard to ensure accuracy within our publication. We apologize if something has slipped past our editors. Please call us with any questions.

# Horseback Riding Lessons

(Ages: 7yrs to Adult)

This exciting new program is designed for anyone who is interested in learning to ride. You don't need a horse, or special equipment, just a desire to learn and a love of horses. This is a hands-on, get-in-the-saddle class that will cover such topics as Novice Horse Safety, Beginning Ground Training, Grooming,



Tacking (understanding variety of horse equipment) as well as Beginner Riding Skills. A great start for you horse lovers who want to try this beautiful sport. Classes are held out at the lovely White Buffalo Horse Farm in Orange Co. (just off Rt. 20 near Locust Grove). Register early, class size is limited to 6 riders!

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Children 7 - 12 years old

4352. 401 Fri, Jun 23 - Jul 14 5:00pm-6:00pm

Teens 13 yrs to Adults

4351. 401	Wed, Jun 21 - Jul 12	6:30pm-7:30pm
4351. 402	Fri, Jun 23 - Jul 14	6:30pm-7:30pm
4351. 403	Wed, Aug 2 - Aug 23	6:30pm-7:30pm
4351. 404	Fri, Aug 4 - Aug 25	6:30pm-7:30pm

4 Week Sessions each \$120 City, \$140 Non-City Resident White Buffalo Horse Farm Instructor: Judy Watson

Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

Kid's Fishing Clinic

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(Ages: 6 to 13yrs)

Kids, come on down to Motts Run Reservoir for a morning of fishing instruction! You'll learn casting, knot tying and freshwater fishing techniques from a real pro! Bring your own fishing gear, if available (we'll

have extra on hand), water, snack and wear sunscreen. Kids 6-8 years old must bring a parent (9-13 years may attend without an adult).

6248.401 Sat, Aug 12 9:00am-12:00pm

1 session

\$ 30 City, \$40 Non-City Resident

Motts Run Reservoir- Meet at Lakeshore Amphitheatre Instructor: Tee Clarkson w/ Virginia Fishing Adventures Registration begins: 6/6 City 6/13 Non-City

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# Starfires "Mighty Mites" Dance N' Cheer

(Ages: Rising 1st - 2nd Grade)

This popular program is full of dance movement and cheer action just right for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> graders! These "little ladies" will certainly learn to be "show-stoppers!" The Mighty class is great summer fun and good preparation for the Starfires fall classes and shows!

3642.401 Thurs Jun 29 - Jul 27 5 Week Session \$27 City, \$36 Non-City Resident Dorothy Hart Community Center Instructor: Starfires Staff Registration has already begun.

4:00pm-5:00pm





## Starfires "Junior" Dance N' Cheer

(Ages: Rising 3rd-4th Grade)

This energetic dance/cheer program is designed especially for 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> graders. They will be taught spirited dance routines with an emphasis on rhythm, coordination and "how to be a showman." They will have added fun, learning cheers, chants & jumps! This class will brighten your summer, and if interested, will give you a good start for the Starfires fall classes and performances.

3620.411 Thurs, Jun 29 - Jul 27 5 Week Sessions each \$27 City, \$36 Non-City Resident Dorothy Hart Community Center Instructor: Starfires Staff Registration has already begun.

5:00pm-6:00pm



## Starfires "Junior Prep" Dance N' Cheer

(Ages: Rising 5th - 6th Grade)

Join our great new program for 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade students who want to experience the high-energy dance movements and beginning cheer techniques used in competitions! There is no experience necessary, our instructors will teach you everything! Be a Starfire, and add a lively experience to your summer break! You may want to get prepared for the Starfires classes and performances that will continue in the fall.

3620.415 Thurs, Jun 29 - Jul 27 5 Week Session \$27 City, \$36 Non-City Resident Dorothy Hart Community Center Instructor: Starfires Staff Registration has already begun. 6:00pm-7:00pm

Starfires is a continuing and progressive program that your children will love!

## Starfires "Senior" Dance N' Cheer

(Ages: Rising 7th Grade and up)
This is an exciting chance to learn high- spirited dance routines, while developing poise, coordination & showmanship! Join the award-winning, team-spirited Starfires and bring a friend with you. No experience necessary. The program is designed for students in the 7th grade and up, and also includes basic cheerleading techniques. This is a great class to prepare for the future or to just have fun now! Those who are interested may use this as a start toward the Starfires continuing program that includes classes and competitions, beginning this fall.

3620.401 Thur, Jun 29 - Jul 27 7:00pm-8:00pm 5 Week Session \$27 City, \$36 Non-City Resident Dorothy Hart Community Center Instructor: Starfires Staff Registration has already begun.

## Starfires "Team Blue" Cheerleading

(Ages: Rising 6th - 12th Grades)

This program is an "over & above" class designed to instruct students exclusively in the sport of cheerleading -- with cheers, chants, jumps, stunts and tumbling! They will learn fun, spirited, competitive routines. This is a great class for anyone with her eye on high school tryouts in the future, or those who want to perform with Team Blue beginning this fall. Students must be enrolled as a Starfire student and be in 6<sup>th</sup> grade or up.

Meets: Thursdays, 8:00pm-9:15pm

Thurs., Jun 29 - Jul 27

Fee: \$20 City and Non-City Res. Dorothy Hart Community Center Instructors: Starfires Staff Registration has already begun.



Look for the Starfires Dance and Cheer Camp Aug. 8-10 Details on page 29.